

EVALUATION CHART

TEACHING NOTES

You can use the Evaluation Chart transparency to provide an opportunity for students to learn the critical-thinking steps necessary to make evaluative judgements. Students need to be able to use evaluation when making judgments about literary selections and when writing essays of evaluation.

Presentation

To show students how to use the Evaluation Chart, place the transparency on the overhead projector.

Write the name of an amusement park on the subject line. Have students suggest several evaluative criteria for judging the quality of an amusement park, and rank them in order of importance. Write their suggestions on the transparency. Have the class rate the amusement park based on each of the criteria, and make a mark under the appropriate heading. Ask students to give reasons for their evaluations.

Model Evaluation Chart

Subject: Amusement park

Type: Theme park for adults and children

Criteria In Order of Importance	Poor	Fair	Average	Good	Excellent
1. Cost			x		
2. Location					x
3. Rides				x	
4. Types of customers				x	
5. Hours of operation				x	
6. Food			x		

Final judgment: It is a good amusement park to visit.

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6.					
7.					
8.					

Final judgment: _____
